

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Zaki *et al.*

Group Art Unit: 1796

Serial No.: 10/791,427

Examiner: Del Cotto, Gregory R.

Filed: March 2, 2004

Docket No.: 1456/3

Confirmation No.: 3775

For: SOLVENT COMPOSITIONS FOR REMOVING PETROLEUM RESIDUE FROM
A SUBSTRATE AND METHODS OF USE THEREOF

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AMENDMENT D

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Final Official Action dated April 29, 2009. A Notice of Appeal was filed October 29, 2009. A Request for Continued Examination and an Information Disclosure Statement is being filed herewith. A petition for extension of time is also enclosed thereby extending the response deadline for filing an Appeal Brief up to and including May 29, 2010. Since May 29, 2010 is a Saturday and Monday, May 31, 2010 is the Memorial Day Holiday, the present deadline automatically rolls to Tuesday, June 1, 2010. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of **\$1,690.00**, to cover the extension of time, excess claims and Request for Continued Examination fees for small entity, along with any other fees associated with the filing of this Amendment, and to credit any over payment to, Deposit Account Number **50-0426**.

Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendment and Remarks.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the subject application as follows: